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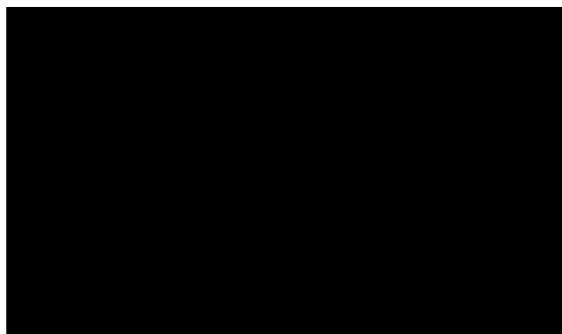
NSC BRIEFING

27 October 1954

OFFSHORE ISLAND DEVELOPMENTS

- I. Quemoy activity in past weeks limited to sporadic Communist shelling, "frogmen" raids.

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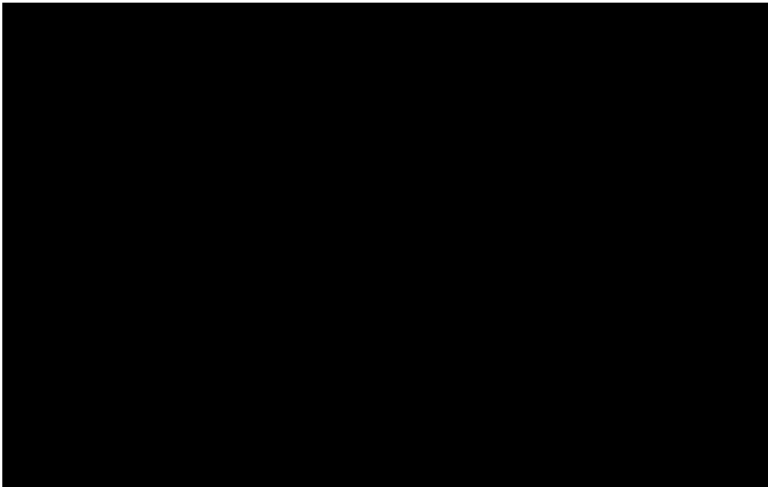
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- B. Nationalists say troops recently moved to Amoy Island--could be defensive or staging for attack.

- II. At Tachens, more Communist planes patrolling (first bombers spotted 16 October).

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- A. Communist landing reported on undefended islands near Pishan (40 miles SW Tachens). Communist artillery also nearby: suggests possible attack.
 - B. Only 1,500 Nationalist guerrillas on Pishan--island easy to take but of little value.
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A. Location not known. May
include landing craft,
possibly submarines.

B. Advent winter monsoons
imminent, but effect on
Communists not certain.
Weather good in stretches
during winter and attacks
could come at any time.